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In re application of :  
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OPTICAL ELEMENT AND METHOD :  
FOR FORMING DOMAIN INVERSION :  
REGIONS :  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to initial examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

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**AMENDMENTS TO THE TITLE**

**Please amend the title of the invention as follows:**

~~OPTICAL DEVICE AND METHOD FOR FORMING POLARIZATION REVERSED  
REGION~~

OPTICAL ELEMENT AND METHOD FOR FORMING DOMAIN INVERSION  
REGIONS